

## **How to obtain a California dental license**

A California dental license may be obtained by:

1. **Exam** - Graduates of schools accredited by the American Dental Association Commission on Dental Accreditation may apply to take the California exam, which has written and clinical components. To order an application, send a request by FAX to 916-263-2140. Include your name, address, and telephone contact number. See *Exams* on Homepage.
2. **Credential** – for dentists with a license in another state. See *Licensure by Credential* for qualifications.

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